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1. [ ] LIAISON Louise, in the office of Representative Larry P. McDonald (D., Ga.), called to request an additional subscription to the Middle East FBIS Daily Report for Herb Romerstein, also in the Congressman's office. FBIS Liaison was alerted.

2. [ ] LIAISON Peter Fenn, on the staff of Senator Frank Church (D., Idaho), called to request a copy of the 1977 National Basic Intelligence Factbook. I told him I would mail him one in the near future. A copy has been requested from the Congressional Support Staff.

3. [ ] BRIEFING Accompanied Mr. Cary and the Director to a briefing of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations. The briefing was on the economic and military situation in the Middle East. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

4. [ ] LIAISON Talked to James Fellenbaum, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, regarding the schedule for the Senate Appropriations mark-up of the FY-78 budget. Fellenbaum noted that the Senate may have to mark up prior to receiving the Intelligence Community appeal of the House action. (See Memorandum to Mr. Cary, 8 June.)

5. [ ] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES Delivered to James Fellenbaum, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, a paper prepared by the Office of General Counsel [ ] giving details of the Headquarters computer center modification. The fact sheet was prepared to justify the request that the modification be approved by the Committee without recourse to authorization required under the Public Buildings Act.

6. [ ] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES Delivered to Pete Bonner, Senate Appropriations Committee Minority Counsel, a fact sheet on various African organizations requested by the Committee.

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7. [ ] LIAISON Jerry Campbell, in the office of Representative J. Herbert Burke (R., Fla.), called to say that he is doing an overt study for the Congressman on the strategic impact for the U. S. of giving up the Guantanamo Naval Base in Cuba: Naval consequences, defense of shipping lanes, Panama Canal implications, etc.; what were CIA's views? He said he had been in touch with the Navy and Congressional Research Service. I said I doubted that we had done anything overt, if we had done anything at all, but would check.

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8. [ ] LIAISON Charles Horner, of Senator Daniel P. Moynihan's (D., N. Y.) staff, called to ask for an unclassified statement on the TRW/Boyce-Lee affair which the Senator could use in a speech. After coordination with [ ]

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[ ] O/DCI, I read Horner a statement which [ ] OLC, and I worked out based on testimony made by Les Dirks, DDS&T, in open court. Later I gave Senator Moynihan's secretary a sentence for Horner which the DCI asked be added to the statement. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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10. [ ] LIAISON Talked with Robert Brauer, Administrative Assistant to Representative Ronald V. Dellums (D., Calif.), with further reference to our desire to meet with the Congressman to brief him on the support which NPIC employees have given to Ballou High School in their computer programs. We arranged for [ ] [ ] all of NPIC, to accompany me to a meeting with Mr. Dellums on Wednesday, 15 June, at 1:30 p.m.

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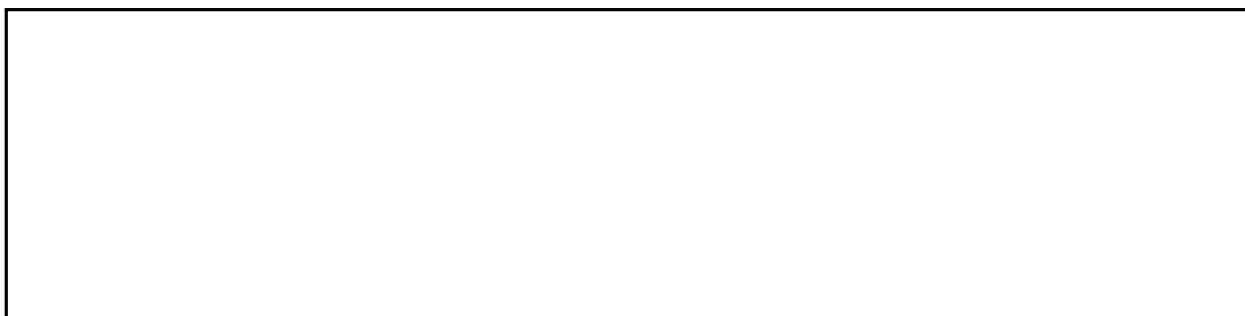
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12. [REDACTED] LIAISON Received a call from Anne Karalekas, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who asked about the two OGC papers on the constitutionality of the present arrangement for appropriating money for intelligence activities. I told Karalekas I would check on the status of these requests.



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14. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Karen, in the office of Senator Richard Clark (D., Iowa), to schedule [REDACTED] OTR, to talk to University of Northern Iowa Political Science interns on 15 June at 12:00 until 2:00 p.m. Karen will call with a room number.

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15. [ ] LIAISON I met with John Rich, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, with respect to two provisions of H.R. 6689, one involving employment of foreigners and the other involving the acceptance of gifts. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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16. [ ] LIAISON I accompanied [ ] Congressional Support Office, and [ ] OSR, to a briefing of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff on the balance of forces between North and South Korea. The briefing took place in S-116 of the Capitol beginning at 10:15 a.m. and ending at 12:00 noon. In addition to the North-South Korean issue, questions were asked with respect to U.S. forces and capabilities which were appropriately parried by [ ]

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17. [ ] LIAISON In response to his request, I dropped off with Dick Friedeman, of Senator Robert J. Dole's (R., Kan.) office, an article from a very revolutionary magazine written in the French language with the caveat that the article was being passed at his request, that the article and its author were very revolutionary and that we would not comment on any of the statements in the article.

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18. [ ] LIAISON I met with Norvill Jones, Chief of Staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, to report to him with respect to a sensitive matter. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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20. [ ] LIAISON Bob Dockery, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called requesting that we hold the first briefing of Senator Paul Sarbanes (D., Md.) of Latin America on 10 June at 3:45 p.m. The initial briefing will cover the current political, economical and military situation in Latin America. [ ] Congressional Support Office, has been advised. The briefing will last from one to two hours. Based on the results of this first briefing, additional briefings will be scheduled as needed by Senator Sarbanes.

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25. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Rick Grawey, staff member of the House Government Operations Committee who, on behalf of Chairman Jack Brooks (D., Texas), has been following the problem of eligibility of reemployed CIARDS annuitants for further retirement benefits, in regard to his call of yesterday and explained that the Office of Personnel and our General Counsel are pressing ahead on the Agency's implementation of the change in the Civil Service Commission's policy which now allows CIA reemployed annuitants to be eligible for further retirement benefits. I said that we would provide him a copy of the legal brief on the waiver of further benefits under the CIA Retirement Act and the notice that goes out to all CIA annuitants advising them of the new policy. I told Grawey I would hope to get this material to him by the end of the week. Grawey said he is receiving considerable pressure and wants to wrap this up. In the interim, I prepared a letter to Grawey explaining the steps the Agency is taking in this matter and the need for the Agency to coordinate closely with the Civil Service Commission. I trust that this will satisfy Mr. Grawey's concern at this time.

26. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Called Lester Rosen, Administrative Assistant to Representative J. Danforth Quayle (R., Ind.), and made arrangements for [REDACTED] CI Staff, to brief Mr. Quayle on [REDACTED] on Monday, 13 June, at 2:00 p.m., in his office, 1407 Longworth House Office Building. This is in response to Mr. Quayle's letter to the Director of 11 May.

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